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The following President's Act is published for general information:—

THE BOMBAY TENANCY AND AGRICULTURAL LANDS (GUJARAT AMENDMENT) ACT, 1974

No. 7 OF 1974

Enacted by the President in the Twenty-fifth Year of the Republic of India.

An Act further to amend the Bombay Tenancy and Agricultural Lands Act, 1948, as in force in the State of Gujarat.

11 of 1974. In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Gujarat State Legislature (Delegation of Powers) Act, 1974, the President is pleased to enact as follows:—

Short title and commencement.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Bombay Tenancy and Agricultural Lands (Gujarat Amendment) Act, 1974.

(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 30th day of December, 1973.

Amendment of section 32M.

Bombay Act LXVII of 1948.

2. In section 32M of the Bombay Tenancy and Agricultural Lands Act, 1948, as in force in the State of Gujarat (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), in sub-section (5), for the words and figures "before the end of December, 1973", the words and figures "before the end of December, 1974" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 32PP.

3. In section 32PP of the principal Act, in sub-sections (*1C*) and (*1D*), for the words, figures and letters "before 31st December, 1973", the words, figures and letters "before 31st December, 1974" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 32PPP.

4. In section 32PPP of the principal Act, in sub-section (*1*), in clause (*ii*), for the words, figures and letters "before 31st December, 1973", the words, figures and letters "before 31st December, 1974" shall be substituted.

Repeal and saving.

5. (*1*) The Bombay Tenancy and Agricultural Lands (Gujarat Amendment) Ordinance, 1973, is hereby repealed. Gujarat Ordinance No. 7 of 1973.

(*2*) Notwithstanding such repeal, anything done or any action taken under the principal Act, as amended by the said Ordinance, shall be deemed to have been done or taken under the principal Act, as amended by this Act.

V. V. GIRI,
President.

K. K. SUNDARAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Reasons for the enactment

The periods specified under sections 32M, 32PP and 32PPP of the Bombay Tenancy and Agricultural Lands Act, 1948, for payment of purchase price by tenants and for making an application by a tenant to the Agricultural Lands Tribunal for a declaration that the purchase of land has not become ineffective were extended from time to time up to the end of December, 1973. As a large number of tenants had not availed of the benefit of such extended period, it was considered necessary to extend the aforesaid periods further up to the end of December, 1974. As the Gujarat Legislative Assembly was not in session, the Bombay Tenancy and Agricultural Lands (Gujarat Amendment) Ordinance, 1973 (Gujarat Ordinance No. 7 of 1973) was promulgated by the Governor of Gujarat on the 30th December, 1973, to achieve the above object. The present measure seeks to replace the said Ordinance.

2. In view of the urgency of the matter, it is not practicable to consult the Consultative Committee of Parliament on Gujarat Legislation. This measure is accordingly being enacted without reference to the Consultative Committee.

T. P. SINGH,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Ministry of Agriculture
(Department of Agriculture).

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